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Applicant : Leinikka et al.  
 App. No : 10/810,415  
 Filed : March 25, 2004  
 For : A METHOD FOR FABRICATING A  
 SEED LAYER (as amended)  
 Examiner : Alonzo Chambliss  
 Art Unit : 2814

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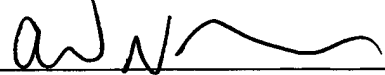
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